



#### BEFORE THE VIRGINIA GAS AND OIL BOARD

RELIEF SOUGHT:

An Order for Disbursement of Escrowed Funds (and Authorization for Direct Payment of Royalties)

JURISDICTION:

Code of Virginia § 45.1-351, (et seq) AND § 45.1-361.22 (et seq)

UNIT/WELL NAME: VC-537869

TRACT(S): A portion of 6

LOCATION:

DICKENSON County, Virginia

TAX ID NUMBERS:

Tax Map Identification Numbers for all parcels affected by this order are shown on: Exhibit B

**DOCKET NUMBER:** VGOB-07-1016-2046-01

APPLICANTS:

EQT Production Company on behalf of Edward Galyon and Rebecca J. Galyon

**HEARING DATE AND LOCATION:** 

Russell County Government Center, Lebanon, Virginia

March 19, 2013 and April 16, 2013

APPEARANCES:

James Kalser on behalf of EQT Production Company

#### PRIOR PROCEEDINGS:

1, Original Pooling Order Executed 12/05/2007, Recorded on 12/17/2007, Deed Book/Instrument No. 446, Page 726.

#### NOTICE:

The Unit Operator gave notice to the Applicants that the Board would consider its disbursement petition at the March 19, 2013 hearing and was was continued to April 16, 2013 where the Board considered whether to:

(1) Amend the Pooling Order to provide for the disbursement of funds on deposit in the Escrow Account attributable to Tract(s) A portion of 6 identified in the attached petition.

- (2) Delete the requirement that the Unit Operator place future royalties attributable to Tract(s) A portion of 6 relative to the Interests of the Applicants identified in the attached petition.
- (3) Continue the escrow account under this docket number.

FINDINGS:

Code of Virginia § 45.1-361.22

Applicant has certified and represented to the Board that:

Permanent Release of CBM Royalty letter dated February 22, 2011 from Range Resources-Pine Mountain, signed by Jerry Grantham, Vice President, waiving any claim to past or future royalties attributable to Edward Galyon and Rebecca J. Galyon for coalbed methane gas interests on the 128 acre tract. A portion of this tract is listed as Tract 6 on the plat for Well VC-537869.

#### **RELIEF GRANTED:**

VGO	8 Disbu	ursement	Fractional	Net Acreage	Royalty	Escrowed	Percent of
Unit '	VC-537	869	Ownership	Ownership	Split	Acres	Escrowed Funds
VGO	B-07-10	016-2046-01	in Tract	inTract	Agreement	Disbursed	Disbursed -
Table	e 1		<u> </u>	<u> </u>		<del></del>	
Tract	Tracts: A portion of 6						G
Item	Tract	Disbursement Table	<del></del> -				
	<b>†</b>	Total acreage in escrow before disbursement				11.15000	
	6	Tract 6 (total acreage)	9.30				
1	6	Edward Galyon and Rebecca J. Galyon\12113 South Piney Point Road, Bishopville, MD 21813		4,6500	100.00%	4.6500	41.7040%

- 1. The Escrow Agent is ordered, to within ten (10) days of receipt of this executed order, disburse funds for the unit and applicants detailed in Table 1.
- 2. The Escrow Agent is ordered to continue the Escrow Account for the Subject Drilling unit based on the attached Revised Exhibit E which replaces all prior Exhibit E's recorded for the Subject Drilling Unit.

#### CONCLUSION:

Therefore, the requested relief and all terms and provisions set forth above be and hereby are granted and IT IS SO ORDERED.

#### APPEALS:

Appeals of this Order are governed by the provisions of the Code of Virginia § 45.1-361.9 which provides that any order or decision of the Board may be appealed to the appropriate circuit court and that whenever a coal owner, coal operator, gas owner, gas operator, or operator of a gas storage field certificated by the State Corporation Commission is a party in such action, the court shall hear such appeal de novo.

DONE AND EXECUTED this 25 day of April, 2013 by a majority of the Virginia Gas and Oil Board.

Chairman, Bradley C. Lambert

DONE AND PERFORMED this 25 day of April, 2013 by Order of the Virginia Gas and Oil Board.

Rick Cooper

Principal Executive to the staff, Virginia Gas and Oil Board

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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA COUNTY OF RUSSELL

Acknowledged on this day of 2000 personally before me a notary public in and for the Commonwealth of Virginia, appeared Bradley C. Lambert, being duly sworn did depose and say that he is the Chairman of the Virginia Gas and Oil Board and appeared Rick Cooper, being duly sworn did depose and say that he is Principal Executive to the staff of the Virginia Gas and Oil Board, that they executed the same and was authorized to do so.

Diane J. Davis, Motery Public

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My Commission expires: September 30, 2013

#### BEFORE THE VIRGINIA GAS AND OIL BOARD

**PETITIONER:** EQT Production Company

DIVISION OF GAS AND OIL

**DOCKET NO: VGOB 07-1016-2046-01** 

RELIEF SOUGHT: (1) DISBURSEMENT FROM ESCROW REGARDING TRACT(S) A portion of 6

(2) AND AUTHORIZATION FOR DIRECT

**PAYMENT OF ROYALTIES** 

**HEARING DATE:** February 19, 2012

DRILLING UNIT: VC-537869

DICKENSON COUNTY, VIRGINIA

#### PETITION FOR ORDER OF DISBURSEMENT OF ESCROW FUNDS

#### 1. Petitioner and its counsel

Petitioner is EQT Production Company, 225 North Shore Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15212, (412)553-5700. Petitioner's counsel is James Kaiser, Wilhoit and Kaiser Law Firm, 220 Broad Street, Suite 210, Kingsport, TN 37660.

#### 2. Relief Sought

A petition for disbursement of Escrowed Funds from EQT Production Company on behalf of Edward Galyon and Rebecca J. Galyon, h/w for Drilling Unit Number VC-537869 created by Board Order Dated 12/17/2007 VGOB 07/10/16-2046 in Dickenson County, Virginia. Requesting disbursement of escrowed funds for interests of Edward Galyon and Rebecca J. Galyon held in Tract 6 of Drilling Unit Number VC-537869 located in Sandlick District of Dickenson County.

#### 3. Legal Authority

Va, Code Ann. § 45,1-361.1 et seq., 4 VAC 25-160-140., and relevant Virginia Gas and Oil Board Orders ("Board") heretofore promulgated pursuant to law.

#### 4. Type of Well(s)

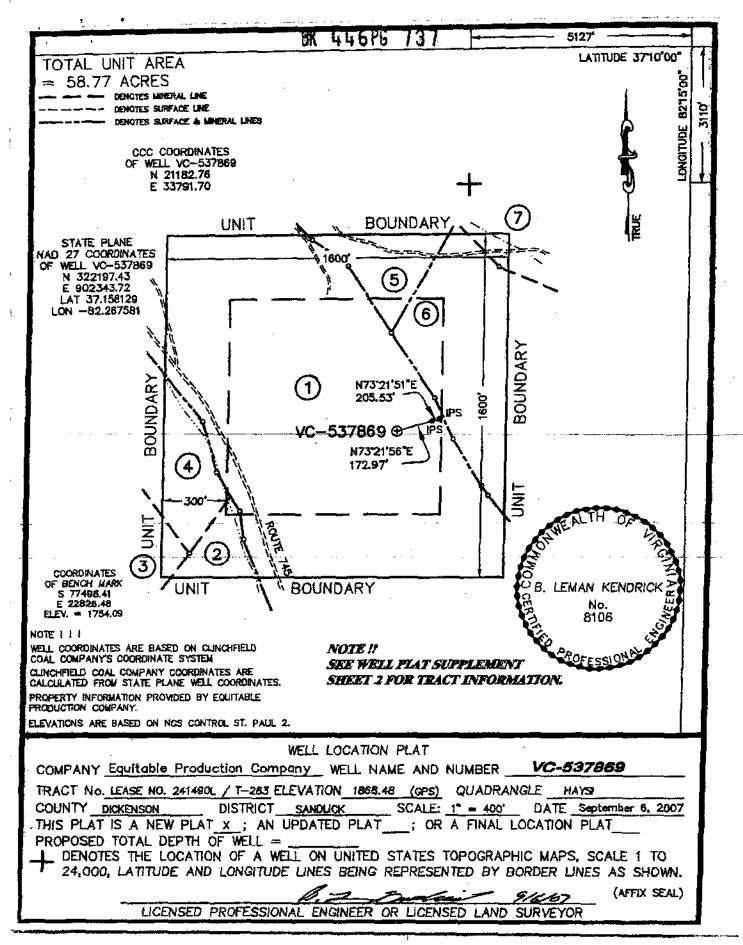
Coalbed Methane

#### 5. Factual basis for relief requested

Permanent Release of CBM Royalty letter dated February 22, 2011 from Range Resources-Pine Mountain, signed by Jerry Grantham, Vice President, waiving any claim to past or future royalties attributable to Edward Galyon and Rebecca J. Galyon for coalbed methane gas interests on the 128 acre tract. A portion of this tract is listed as Tract 6 on the plat for Well VC-537869.

#### 6. Attestation

The foregoing Petition to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief is true and correct.



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(1)

Lease No. 241490L / T-283
B.H. EDWARDS
274.37 ACRES
HEARTWOOD FORESTLAND FUND IV — SURface
DICKENSON-RUSSELL COAL COMPANY, LLC/ALPHA
LAND & RESERVES, LLC/ACIN, LLC/WBRD, LLC — Coal
PINE MOUNTAIN OIL & GAS, INC. — Oil, Gass & CBM
GAS 40.15 AC. — 68.32%

2

Lease No. 241490L / T-283
B. H. EDWARDS
30.00 ACRES
RUTH & RUAL FULLER - Surface
DICKENSON-RUSSELL COAL COMPANY, LLC/ALPHA
LAND & RESERVES, LLC/ACIN, LLC/WBRD, LLC - Coal
UNLEASED
DOMINION MINING COMPANY - OIL, Gas (CBM)
PINE MOUNTAIN OIL & GAS, INC. - (CBM)
GAS 1.85 AC. - 3.15%

(3)

Lease No. 242008L
NELSON C. & MINNIE C. EDWARDS — oil, gas (CBM)
51.10 ACRES
LEASE No. 244792 TC-181
DICKENSON-RUSSELL COAL COMPANY, LLC/ALPHA LAND
RESERVES, LLC/ACIN, LLC/MBRD, LLC — Coal
PINE MOUNTAIN OIL & GAS, INC. — (CBM)
GAS 0.50 AC. — 0.85%

**(4)** 

Lease No. 241490L / T-303
JOHN HAY
199.61 ACRES
RUTH & RUAL FULLER - Surface
DICKENSON-RUSSELL COAL COMPANY, LLC/ALPHA
LAND & RESERVES, LLC/ACIN, LLC/WBRD, LLC - Coal
PINE MOUNTAIN OIL & GAS, INC. - OII, Gas & CBM
GAS 3.45 AC. - 5.87%

(5)

Legbe No. 241840L / T2-36
B.H. EDWARDS
34.00 ACRES (p.o. 119.64 Acres)
DICKENSON-RUSSELL COAL COMPANY, LLC/ALPHA
LAND & RESERVES, LLC/ACN, LLC/ANDRB, LLC — Coal
PINE MOUNTAIN OIL & GAS, INC. — Oil, Gas & CBM
GAS 3.10 AC. — 5.28%

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Lagse No. 243401L
RICHARD EDWARDS, et at - oil, gas (CBM)
Lagse No. 2447921 / TC-182
C.A. WILLIS
1-28.00 - ACRES
DICKENSON-RUSSELL COAL COMPANY, LLC/ALPHA LAND &
RESERVES, LLC/ACIN, LLC/WBRD, LLC - Coal
PINE MOUNTAIN OIL & GAS, INC. - (CBM)
GAS 9.30 AC. - 15.82%



Lease No. 241490L / T-230
JOHN ANDERSON
123.50 ACRES
DICKENSON-RUSSELL COAL COMPANY, LLC/ALPHA
LAND & RESERVES, LLC/ACIN, LLC/WORD, LLC - Coal
PINE MOUNTAIN OIL & GAS, INC. - DI, Gos & CBM
GAS 0.42 AC. - 0.71%



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312 Chanwood Main Screet Suit 20/ P.O. Box 1869 Clintwood, Virginis 24228 EQUITABLE PRODUCTION COMPANY
WELL No. VC-537869
WELL PLAT SUPPLEMENT
SHEET 2

PROJECT No.: VC-537869

VC-537869

SCALE: 1" = 400"

DATE: September 6, 2007

VGO	VGOB Disbursement			Net Acreage	Royalty	Escrowed	Percent of	Disbursement
Unit \	√C-537	869	Ownershi p	Ownership	Split	Acres	Escrowed Funds	
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1	6	Edward Galyon and Rebecca J. Galyon\12113 South Piney Point Road, Bishopville, MD 21813		4.6500	100.00%	4.6500	41.7040%	\$2,740.36

Wells contributing to the escrow account: VC-537869 W/PL

### EXHIBIT "B" VC-537869 VGOB 07/10/16-2046

TRACT	LESSOR	LEASE STATUS	INTEREST WITHIN <u>UNIT</u>	GROSS ACREAGE IN UNIT	NET REVENUE INTEREST	
	Gas Estate Only					
1 TAX ID 20464	Pine Mountain Oil and Gas, tNC. Attn: Jerry Grantham P.O. Box 2136 Abingdon, VA 24212	Leased 241490 T-283	68.320900%	40.1500	0.08540000	Ri
	Equitable Production				0.59780000	WI
Tract 1_Totals		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	68.320000%	40.1500	0.68320000	_
2 TAX ID Minerals Only	Dominion Mining Company Unknown Stockholders of Dominion Mining Company	Unleased	3.150000%	1.8500	0.00393750	RI
	Equitable Production				0.02758250	WI
Tract 2 Totals			3.150000%	1.8500	0.03150000	<u>.</u>
3 TAX ID 7392	Nelson C. Edwards and Minnie C. Edwards, h/w P.O. Box 101 Birchleaf, VA 24220	Leased 242008	0.637500%	0.3750	0.00079688	Ri
	Pine Mountain Oil & Gas, Inc. ATTN: Jerry Grantham P.O. Box 2136 Abingdon, VA. 24212	Leased 244792/TC-181	0.212500%	0.1250	0.00026563	
	Equitable Production				0.00743750	W!
Tract 3 Totals			0.850000%	0.5000	0.00850000	•
4 TAX ID 20483	Pine Mountain Oit and Gas, INC. Attn: Jerry Grantham P.O. Box 2136 Abingdon, VA 24212	Leased 241490 T-303	5.870000%	3.4500	0.00733750	RI
	Equitable Production				0.05136250	Wi
Tract 4 Totals			5.870000%	3.4500	0.05870000	,
\$ TAX ID 20964	Pine Mountain Oil and Gas, INC. Attn: Jerry Grantham P.O. Box 2136 Abingdon, VA 24212	Leased 241640 T2-36	5.280000%	3.1000	0.00660000	- RI
	Equitable Production				0.04620000	Wi
Tract 5 Totals			5.280000%	3.1000	0.05280000	• '

6 TAX ID 6985	Richard Wade Edwards and Rita Owens Edwards, h/w P.O. Box 127 Birchleaf, VA 24220	Leased 243401	7.910000%	4.6500	0.00988750	RI
	Rebecca J. Galyon and Edward Galyon, w/h 12113 South Piney Point Bishopville, MD 21813	Leased 243401	7.910000%	4.6500	0.00988750	Rt
	Equitable Production				0.13842500	wı
Tract 6 Totals	<u> </u>		15.820000%	9.3000	0.15820000	•
7 TAX ID 20410	Pine Mountain Oil and Gas, INC. Attn: Jerry Grantham P.O. Box 2136 Abingdon, VA 24212	Leased 241490 T-230	0.710000%	0.4200	0.00088750	Al
	Equitable Production				0.00621250	WI
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	TOTAL GAS ESTATE		100.000000%	58.7700	1.00000000	
·······	Coal Estate Only					
1 TAX ID 20464	Pine Mountain Oil and Gas, INC. Attn: Jerry Grantham P.O. Box 2136 Abingdon, VA 24212	Leased 241490 T-283	68.320000%	40.1500	0.08540000	RI
	Equitable Production				0.59780000	WI
Tract 1 Totals		<u>-</u>	68.320000%	40.1500	0.68320000	_
2 TAX ID 20464	Pine Mountain Oil and Gas, INC. Attn: Jerry Grantham P.O. Box 2136 Abingdon, VA 24212	Leased 241490 T-283	3.150000%	1.8500	9.00393750	ΗI
	Equitable Production				0.02756250	WI
Tract 2 Totals	Eduliania Linguisacii		3.150000%	1.8500	0.03150000	<b> **</b> '
3 TAX ID # 12425	Pine Mountain Oil & Gas, Inc. ATTN: Jerry Grantham P.O. Box 2136 Abingdon, VA. 24212	Leased 244792/ TC-181	0.850000%	0.5000	0.00106250	 RI ·
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Tract 3 Totals	Equitable Production		0.850000%	0.5000	0.00743750	-**1
4 TAX ID # 20483	Pine Mountain Oil & Gas, Inc. ATTN: Jerry Grantham P.O. Box 2136	Leased 241490/ T-303	5.870000%	3.4500	0.00733750	<b>-</b> RI

Abingdon, VA. 24212

	Equitable Production	_			0.05136250	WI	
Tract 4 Totals			5.870000%	3.4500	0.05870000	_	
<b>5</b> TAX  D # 20964	Pine Mountain Oil & Gas, Inc. ATTN: Jerry Grantham P.O. Box 2136 Abingdon, VA. 24212	Leased 241640/ T2-36	5.280000%	3.1000	0.00660000	HI	
	Equitable Production				0.04620000	W	
Tract 5 Totals		<u></u>	5.280000%	3,1000	0.05280000	_	
6 TAX ID # 11924	Pine Mountain Oil & Gas, Inc. ATTN: Jerry Grantham P.O. Box 2136 Abingdon, VA. 24212	Leased 244792/ TC-182	15.820000%	9.3000	0.01977500	RI	
	Equitable Production				0.13842500	W	
Tract 6 Totals			15.820000%	9,3000	0.15820000	_	
7 TAX ID # 20410	Pine Mountain Oil & Gas, Inc. ATTN: Jerry Grantham P.O. Box 2136 Abingdon, VA. 24212	Leased 241490/ T·230	0.710000%	0.4200	0.00088750	RI	
	Equitable Production		<u></u>		0.00621250	W	
Tract 7 Totals			0.710000%	0.4200	0.00710000	_	

TOTAL 100.000000% 58.7700 1.00000000

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# EXHIBIT "E" VC-537869

<u>TR</u>	<u>LESSOR</u>	LEASE STATUS	INTEREST WITHIN <u>UNIT</u>	GROSS ACREAGE IN UNIT	
		Gas Estate Only			
2	Dominion Mining Company Unknown Stockholders of Dominion Mining Company TAX ID Minerals Only	Unleased	3.150000%	1.8500	
6	Richard Wade Edwards and Rita Owens Edwards, h/w P.O. Box 127 Birchleaf, VA 24220 TAX ID 6985	Leased 243401	7.910000%	4.6500	
	TOTAL		11.060000%	6.5000	
		Coal Estate Only			
2	Pine Mountain Oil and Gas, INC. Attn: Jerry Grantham P.O. Box 2136 Abingdon, VA 24212 TAX ID 20464	Leased 241490 T-283	3.150000%	1.8500	
6	Pine Mountain Oil and Gas, INC. Attn: Jerry Grantham P.O. Box 2136 Abingdon, VA 24212 TAX ID # 11924	Leased 244792/ TC-182	7.910000%	4.6500	
	TOTAL		11.060000%	6.5000	

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# EXHIBIT "EE" VC-537869

4/4/2011 Revised 2/7/2013

TRACT		LESSOR	LEASE <u>Status</u>	INTEREST WITHIN <u>UNIT</u>	GROSS ACREAGE IN UNIT
	Gas Estate Only				
6	Rebecca J. Gaiyon and		Leased	7.910000%	4.6500
TAX ID 6985	Edward Galyon, w/h		243401		
	12113 South Piney Point				
	Bishopville, MD 21813				
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